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PROGRESSIVE SECOND PRICE AUCTION

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:


In the non-final office action mailed June 13, 2005, the Examiner notes that the status of dependent claims 2, 14, 19, and 21 are listed in the amendment dated on March 7, 2005 as "Currently Amended," but no amendment to those claims was found in the amendment. Upon review of the file, applicants have determined that the status of claims 2, 14, 19, and 21 was inadvertently listed as amended, but the status of those claims should have been listed as "original" as no change was intended to be made to those claims in the previous amendment.

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A corrected list of claims pending as of the filing of applicant's amendment dated March 7, 2005 is attached hereto.

Applicants believe this response resolves the defect the Examiner has identified in applicant's prior amendment, and that the case is now in condition for consideration on the merits. If the Examiner believes further corrective action is necessary before consideration on the merits occur, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned to discuss any such further action.

Respectfully submitted,



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